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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	**COMPLAINT FOR VIOLATION OF**
v.	)	**U.S.C. Title 18 Section 2113(a)**
TAMERA ANNE PRAZMA	)	**Bank Robbery**

BEFORE ______________________ **San Diego, California**

NAME OF MAGISTRATE **ADDRESS OF MAGISTRATE**

THE UNDERSIGNED COMPLAINANT BEING DULY SWORN STATES:

That on or about September 14, 2007, at El Cajon, California, within the Southern District of California:

TAMERA ANNE PRAZMA

did by force, violence and intimidation unlawfully take from the person and presence of employees at the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, United States currency in the sum of $5,700.00, belonging to, or in the care, custody, management or possession of the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, whose deposits were then insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 2113 (a), a felony;

And the complainant states that this complaint is based on the attached affidavit which is incorporated herein by reference.

David J. Eaton, FBI

David J. Eaton
Special Agent, FBI

Sworn to before me, and subscribed in my presence on this 26th day of October, 2007.

United States Magistrate Judge

PROBABLE CAUSE STATEMENT

I declare under penalty of perjury the following statement is true and correct:

1. I am a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), currently assigned to the San Diego Field Office. The information contained in this probable cause statement is based upon my personal knowledge and on information I have learned from reviewing official reports and speaking with other Special Agents of the FBI, San Diego County Sheriff's Department, and other law enforcement agencies.

2. On Saturday, September 15, 2007, I conducted interviews at the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, which had been robbed on Friday, September 14, 2007.

3. I have learned the following from the victim teller: On Friday, September 14, at approximately 5:10 p.m., the victim teller was working at her teller window when a lone white female, later identified as TAMERA ANNE PRAZMA, approached her teller window. PRAZMA placed a sealed white envelope onto the teller counter. The victim teller asked, "Deposit?" thinking it was a legitimate business transaction. PRAZMA did not respond. The victim teller opened the envelope and found a robbery demand note inside. The demand note read, "DO NOT HIT ALARM. ONLY 100's AND 50's. NO DYE PACKS AND NO BAIT. FOLLOW MY INSTRUCTIONS AND NO ONE GETS HURT. 10K - Put in envelope." PRAZMA held her hands at her

side where the victim teller could not see them. The victim teller complied with the demand note and placed U.S. currency from her teller drawer into a bank envelope. PRAZMA took the loot from the victim teller, turned and walked out of the bank via the north lobby doors. The victim teller immediately activated her robbery alarm and told other employees that she had just been robbed. The victim teller looked outside the bank and observed the robber getting into the driver's seat of what she described as a newer model black Ford F250 pickup truck which was parked in the lot just north of the bank. The pickup truck backed out of the parking space and quickly drove away. The victim teller described the robber as follows:

Race:	White
Sex:	Female
Height:	5'6" - 5'8"
Build:	Stocky; large torso
Disguise:	Bushy blonde hair past the shoulders; possibly a wig
Clothing:	Faded maroon flannel button-down long-sleeved shirt with beige buttons
Glasses:	Large, black plastic framed sunglasses

4. I have reviewed Crime/Incident Reports prepared by Deputies of the San Diego County Sheriff's Department. Those reports include the statement of a bank employee/witness who was interviewed on September 14, 2007,

shortly after the robbery of the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, who advised as follows: Immediately after she was notified that the bank had just been robbed, the witness observed a female matching the robber's description getting into the driver's seat of a dark blue newer model Ford F150 pickup truck bearing California disabled license plate DP0283A. The getaway vehicle backed out of the parking space and fled the area.

5. On Wednesday, October 24, 2007, I reviewed a report prepared by the California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). The DMV report listed all California disabled license plates assigned to Ford vehicles in the County of San Diego. During my review of that report, I identified vehicle license plate 0283A DP as being assigned to a Ford vehicle. The registered owners of that vehicle were identified as RANDY PRAZMA and TAMERA PRAZMA, 964 - 12th Street, Imperial Beach, California. DMV records described TAMERA PRAZMA as a white female, 5'2" tall, weighing 175 pounds. I obtained a color photograph of TAMERA PRAZMA's California Driver's License.

6. On Thursday, October 25, 2007, at approximately 9:15 a.m., I observed a newer model navy blue Ford F150 pickup truck, bearing California Disabled Plate 0283A DP, parked on the street at the entrance to the west alley of the 900 block of 12th Street, Imperial Beach, California.

7. On Thursday, October 25, 2007, at approximately 9:20 a.m., I contacted TAMERA PRAZMA at 964 - 12th Street, Imperial Beach, California, which she confirmed was her

residence. TAMERA PRAZMA also confirmed that the Ford F150 pickup truck bearing California license plate 0283A DP, which was parked nearby, belonged to her and her husband. During that contact, I was accompanied by another FBI Special Agent who informed me that he observed what appeared to be a new flat screen television inside PRAZMA's residence.

8. On Thursday, October 25, 2007, at approximately 10:00 a.m., I interviewed TAMERA PRAZMA at the San Diego FBI Field Office. After being advised of her Constitutional Miranda rights, PRAZMA advised that she wished to speak to her attorney before answering questions. At that point, the interview was terminated and PRAZMA was taken into custody. During the course of the booking process, I observed that PRAZMA's sandals appeared to be identical to the sandals worn by the bank robber as depicted in the surveillance photographs from the September 14, 2007, robbery of the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California. PRAZMA's sandals were subsequently seized as evidence.

9. Based on my review of TAMERA PRAZMA's DMV photograph, as well as my personal observations of TAMERA PRAZMA's physique, it appears that TAMERA PRAZMA is the same individual depicted in bank surveillance photographs as the individual who robbed the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, on September 14, 2007.

10. PRAZMA is described as follows:

Name:	TAMERA ANNE PRAZMA
Race:	White

Sex: Female

Date of Birth: July 6, 1970

Height: 5'2"

Weight: 200 pounds

Hair: Blonde

Eyes: Brown

Social Security #: 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

Residence: 964 - 12th Street
Imperial Beach, California

11. I was advised during the course of my investigation on September 15, 2007, that the deposits of the Washington Mutual Bank, 2644 Jamacha Road, El Cajon, California, were insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) at the time of the robbery on September 14, 2007. The Washington Mutual Bank suffered a loss of $5,700.00 as a result of that robbery.

Executed on October 26, 2007, at 10:45 a.m./p.m.

SA David J. Eaton, FBI

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Special Agent, FBI

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Social Security #:	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
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Barbara L. Major
United States Magistrate Judge

10/26/07 at 11:00am
Date/Time